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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT, of New York

CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS, of Indiana

Congressional, Blackburn B. Wovener, of Ohio County.

STATE TICKET.

GOVERNOR. W. M. O. Dawson, Kanawha.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

TREASURER. Newton Ogdin, Pleasants.

AUDITOR. Arnold Scherr, Mineral.

SUPT. FREE SCHOOLS.

ATTORNEY GENERAL. Clark May, Lincoln.

SUPREME JUDGE. Frank Cox, Monongalia. Joseph M. Saunders, Wyoming.

Senatorial for Nomination, Harvey W. Harmer, of Harrison.

For Judge of Circuit Court CHARLES W. LYNCH, of Harrison.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Sheriff JOHN M. FLANIGAN

For Prosecuting Attorney WILL E. MORRIS

For House of Delegates HAYMOND MAXWELL M. C. JARRETT

For County Commissioner GEORGE F. RANDALL

For Assessor, Upper District FRANCIS M. DAVIS.

For Assessor, Lower District ERNEST L. PIGOTT.

For County Surveyor CHARLES C. FITTRO

DEMOCRATIC CLIQUE RULE.

The Democratic elique has begu through its mouthing to howl about alleged ring rule again, hoping to Win favor from those in its party who have renounced and denounced every thing renounced and denounced every thing since they express an eagerness to know that that clique has any thing to do with it takes the greenest gall we elique come along and tell them just ever heard of for that crowd to put up how it happened and why. welfare of its own party have been so clearly and convincingly demonstrated and exposed. There are many conscienand exposed. There are many conscientious Democrats in the county, who It is now engaged in trying to convince came, heard and saw, and went away the people that Dawson is satisfied that that clique had laid its plans well to deprive the Democratic because he is supported by the Wheeling party of its right even to say who should be its nominees. And being convinced coming out for Dawson and showed of that as well as being fully aware of the plan to put in certain men as deputy sheet is not to be blamed, however, for sheriffs, in case of victory, these same foundering around so much, since the

that the Democratic clique, although not ully installed into office and although ot having the reins of the county gov roment fully in charge, has already milt itself up into the most corrupt elfish and dangerous political organizan claiming this, they make no excep-

and divide the profits, but who was turned down so quickly by that honest of-ficial that it made him have blind staggers. It is not idle talk, when we say By mall, in county......\$5c per month clique. of which these proposed deputies By mall, out of county......\$4 per year are members, has selected this man, who Pairons desiring a change of display a Republican sheriff, has selected him advertisements should have their copy for the chief deputy. This has been for same in this office before 9 o'clock a said repeatedly by the Telegram and no mi, to insure publication in the same attempts have been made to deny it. Furthermore, it can not be successfully Subscribers failing to receive the Daily denied. Now, under such circumstance. Telegram regularly will please make is there any honest man who wants to is there any honest man who wants to return to the old Democratic days, when hard earned money went into the coffers of men, who did not earn it and since the clique itself in its eagern eitizens of Harrison county, have our self or Short. Demand of him to say whether men who have the order shav ing business in view, should Short be elected, are to be his deputies, or to hav ny thing to do with the office of sheriff.

Most people in the county who have the plan, and, if they have not, all they will have to do will be to keep an ey sen a little while. Watch what the lique is doing. Behold who are Short' anagers in this campaign. See who are his chief ndvisors. Learn with whom h consultations. Find out the fact that there are frequent star-cham ber meetings, composed of himself and the clique. See who the few men are who are so anxious that he should b elected. Ascertain who are breaking their backs working for nim, And after this has been looked into, it will be an easy matter to come to the conclusion that it is the clique that is trying t domineer the Democratic party and t get control of the county governmen not for the benefit of the county, but for their own selfish purposes. With all these facts staring them in the face it is but little wonder, that Democrats, wh hold principle dear, are against suc unwarranted usurpation of the party rights, and such high-handed thievery ne party's rights, to say nothing of th leadly effect the domination of such

Indeed, it is, as already shown, itter thing to the people of Harriso county to even think for one momen hat such a gang should get into power

The question is being asked by son rominent and old-line Democrats, why the trio of the Democratic clique did not let any Democrat in Sardis district go the state convention, and they sa hey ar very anxious for an explanatio is strongly intimated that the clique anted to run the Harrison county dele in the safe side they took care not to have Democrats there who do some thinking for themselves and are not un ler the poisonous influence of the little and rulers of the Democratic party. I important that the trio explain this matter. Will they do it? And, is this connection, they might also explain why one from this town, who professe o be a Republican and one of Dawson' taunchest supporters, according to 15 retensions, one who wanted to lear Dawson around by the arm and tries o hang to his cost tail continually, nex o the last time he was here, and, whe ae made a public speech here, bobbes tion and helped, or tried to help, to run the delegation in the interest of the ocratic clique, the same one wh called part of the clique ugly names the evening of the Democratic county concention here. All these matters should be explained to these life-long Democrats

The Democratic clique sheet appear o have repudiated Cornwell, the Demo its nominees. And being convinced coming out for Dawson and charged

record fons shown up bitterly opposed to the bills that the Democracy attempted for months to give Henry G. Davis so much credit for and upon which they unnounced repeatedly that they would run him for governor. We deny the imputations. They all know who is scheduled tion that Dawson is a Democrat, but we for the chief deputy and wao is to do have not the slightest objection to the approached a Republican sheriff with the proposition to let him shave orders and divide the profits, but who are the proposition to let him shave orders and divide the profits, but who are the whole or the whole o it gives evidence that it will shortly follow suit,

Possibly, if the Democratic clique or gan would read some of the bills passed just closed, it would take a different stand on violations of law. Those bills tend to correct several evils. They were passed by the Republicans, while the Democrats, among whom was Cornwell, their candidate for governor, opposed them. Comwell and his associates are on record as opposing all the reforms the new laws are intended to bring about, but, of course, the Democratic clique paper is not expected to be in line with even the Democratic party who enter into conspiracies with officers get into power and inaugurate the old to rob him of what honestly belongs to order shaving regime, disregards every him. The voters of Harrison county, fundamental principle of its party and the tax payers of Harrison county, the even throws it overboard to get a few votes it could not otherwise get. Besides word for it, and the evidence is such that sheet, while it is howling about that they believe it, but, if there are any who do not, let them ask the clique itinto consideration the fact that som this, that and the other, might also take places would not prosper, if it were no for the patronage given them by those who claim to be reformers.

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Whether there be honor or not in re-ceiving the votes of "coons," the News calls the negroes, it is a fact that Henry learned by this time that that is G. Davis and the Democratic state con vention thought there was enough of importance in the negro question, as they termed it, to take the precautio not to let a plank get into the platform declaring for the disfranchisement of the negro. Their own actions in this respect show they thought there was considerable force in the question whether there was any honor or not and that it was so potent that it would be dangerous for them to monkey with, and after they had gotten themselves worked up to do something desperate, they go frightened and backed down and out With that fact staring them in the face and while they are on the subject of honor, they might rush into print and tell us whether cowardice and the lack of courage to carry out their conviction are matters of honor.

> The professed Democratic paper here but in reality the organ of a select few of that party, says in substance that Ogden, of the Wheling News, is enough of himself to defeat Cornwell for gov ernor, and we agree with that sheet in that particular. But since they have said that Ogden "is a plenty" to do them up, 'we suppose their struggles in the fuure will be for the purpose of a vair attempt to win a bit of admiration from those who take defight in admiring dead cat who has come to life eight times and entering on the throes of the ninth death, which is the last forever and ever.

> > Core Resumes Work.

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